



# Product Life Cycle Announcement

## Ascenlink 700

16 October 2015

With the release of this announcement, Fortinet is notifying partners of the company's intent to discontinue the sale of the following products:

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Fortinet recommends the following migration path for the products being discontinued:

Current SKU	Description	Replacement SKU	Description
AL-700	AscenLink 700 Link Load Balancing System, supports Tunnel Routing. Up to 60Mbps throughput.	FWN-200B	FortiWAN-200B Link Load Balancing System, supports Tunnel Routing. Base System 200Mbps throughput, upgradeable to 600Mbps. 5 x GE RJ45 ports, 1 x A289:J312 HA Port, 1 x RJ45 Serial Console port, 1 x 500GB HDD Storage, Single PSU

Per the terms of the Fortinet Life Cycle Policy, Fortinet will continue to provide hardware support services for a minimum of twelve (12) months from the End of Order (EOO) milestone. The EOO milestone for a given product represents the last date that Fortinet will accept new orders for fulfillment, providing there is inventory available to fulfill the order. RMA/Replacements after the EOO milestone may include "like-for-like replacements" or an "enhanced replacement". In the case of enhanced replacement, changes to the customer's network or upgrade to a currently supported software release may be required.

Product Life Cycle Milestones	
End of Orders (EOO)	16 January 2016
Last date to purchase new maintenance contract	16 January 2016
Last date to extend an existing maintenance contract	16 January 2020
Product support expires	16 January 2021

Additional information about the Fortinet life cycle policy can be found in the Fortinet Life Cycle Policy document, found in the Fortinet Support Portal at: <http://support.fortinet.com/>.